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E.O. 11652: XGDS-1

TAGS: ENRG, CA, US

SUBJECT: CANADIAN OIL EXPORTS

REF: STATE 260945

1. REFTEL CROSSED WITH OTTAWA'S 4128 WHICH REPORTED THAT  
NEB REPORT WOULD NOT RPT NOT BE MADE PUBLIC BEFORE  
GILLESPIE'S VISIT TO WASHINGTON.

2. DEPUTY MINISTER MACNABB CONFIRMED TO ECON COUNSELOR NOVEMBER 5  
THAT REPORT WILL "DEFINITELY" NOT BE TABLED THIS WEEK. IN FACT,  
HE SAID, REPORT IS NOT DUE BACK FROM PRINTERS UNTIL FRIDAY AND GOC  
HAS NOT YET DRAFTED MINISTERIAL STATEMENT WHICH WILL ACCOMPANY IT.  
PRESENT EXPECTATION IS THAT REPORT WILL BE MADE PUBLIC "WITHIN  
A COUPLE OF WEEKS" BUT THERE IS NOTHING MORE DEFINITE ON THIS YET.  
MACNABB AGREED FULLY ON DESIRABILITY OF BILATERAL  
DISCUSSIONS BEFORE PUBLIC RELEASE.

3. MACNABB ALSO CONFIRMED THAT GILLESPIE HAD ANTICIPATED AND  
WILL BE PREPARED FOR FULL DISCUSSION OF NEB REPORT WHEN HE MEETS  
WITH FEA ADMINISTRATOR ZARB ON NOVEMBER 7.

4. IN LIGHT OF MACNABB'S ASSURANCES, EMBASSY BELIEVES FURTHER  
DIRECT APPROACH TO GILLESPIE IS UNNECESSARY.

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